

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORPORATION)
and BOSTON SCIENTIFIC SCIMED, INC.,)
Plaintiffs,)
v.) C.A. No. 05-768 (SLR)
CONOR MEDSYSTEMS, INC.,)
Defendant.)

**REPLY DECLARATION OF VICKI HACKER IN SUPPORT OF
CONOR'S MOTION TO STAY**

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Dated: March 6, 2006

I, Vicki Hacker, declare:

1. I am the Vice President of Clinical Affairs for Conor Medsystems, Inc. ("Conor"), the defendant in this action. I have held this position since June 2005. I make this reply declaration in further support of Conor's motion to stay this action. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth in this declaration and could and would testify competently to them under oath if called as a witness.
2. As Vice President of Clinical Affairs at Conor, my duties and responsibilities include management of clinical research activities and submission of clinical data summaries in support of regulatory approvals.
3. Conor's COSTAR II U.S. Clinical Trial is a prospective, multi-center, randomized study designed to assess the non-inferiority of the CoStar Paclitaxel-Eluting Coronary Stent ("CoStar") as compared to the TAXUS Express² Drug Eluting Coronary Stent System ("Taxus"). Through its clinical trial, Conor intends to show that its CoStar stent is not inferior to the Taxus stent.

Executed on 16 March 2006, at Menlo Park, CA.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Vicki Hacker
Vicki Hacker

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on March 6, 2006, he caused the foregoing to be electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court using CM/ECF, which will send notification of such filing(s) to the following:

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